

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of	)
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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

## I. INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This amendment is responsive to the Office Action mailed on May 24, 2005.

- In the Claims: please amend claims 1, 4, 6, 11, 13, 15, 17, 18 and 23 as presented beginning on page 2 hereof.

Claims 1-25 remain pending and under examination in the application.